

GRIP'S HOLDON NEW YORK

DR. CROSBY AND CORONER HANLEY AMONG ITS VICTIMS.

Knelt Against the Kinney Tobacco Company For an Alleged Failure to Pay Services Rendered in the Formation of the Tobacco Trust—New York News.

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There is, without doubt, a return of the "grip" to New York, although it does not appear to be so severe as the attack which began in January, 1890, and lasted for about six weeks.

It is the common topic of conversation. The doctors have their hands full, and much of their time is taken by people who saw the effect of the late epidemic, and do not care to run any chances of pneumonia. The health authorities and the physicians are as much in the dark in regard to the direct cause of influenza epidemics as they were a year ago, and the number of its distinguished victims is increasing.

The Rev. Dr. Crosby is reported sinking and City Coroner Hanley is dying.

SUIT AGAINST KINNEY TOBACCO. Theodore E. Allen has brought suit against the Kinney Tobacco Company to recover \$50,000 for his services in forming the cigarette trust. The complaint alleges that in or about August, 1889, Allen agreed, orally, with the Kinney Tobacco Company, to make known to them a plan for the combination of the Allen & Ginter Co., W. S. Kimball & Co., W. J. Lusk & Sons & Co., and Goodwin & Co.

Allen claims that it was agreed that in return he should receive 1 per cent. of the interest in the combination that the Kinney Company would obtain under the organization. He alleges that upon such organization stock certificates to the amount of \$5,000,000 were issued to the Kinney Company, and that no part of the agreed commission on this amount has been paid.

HE VISITED RICHMOND. A demand for a bill of particulars was made in when the plaintiff was asked to specify the exact time when the oral agreement was made, with whom it was made, and also when the same was made in writing. In answer to the last requirement, the plaintiff states he had made visits to Richmond, Va., called meetings of tobacco dealers, employed legal counsel, and expended between \$250 and \$400 in printing.

Judge Barrett this morning directed that he should, in response to the first item in the demand for a bill of particulars, specify the exact time when the oral agreement was made. STILL THEY COME. At the large office to-day the steamship Calcutta, from Naples, sailed for the immigrants to P. Calcutta, from Rotterdam, 203, the Scandinavia, from Hamburg, 89, and the Spardam, from Rotterdam, 574. Total, 2,000.

INCIDENTAL TO THE DEATH OF LAWRENCE BARRITT, the tragedian, is a strange coincidence. The dead actor's life was insured for about \$45,000, some \$25,000 of which had been placed for him by Joseph Meyer, of this city, who is in the life insurance business. The balance was in assessment company and fractional stock. Mr. Barritt had decided to carry \$20,000 more, so Mr. Meyer secured that sum, and the policy was all made out and the papers were to have been signed on Wednesday last. Mr. Meyer saw him on that day, but the tragedian postponed signing the contract until Saturday. On Friday he was dead.

CHARLES CHICKERING. The funeral of Charles Frank Chickering took place from his residence, a Fifth avenue, today, where prayers were read, Bishop Potter and the Rev. Dr. Huntington of Grace church officiating. The remains were taken to Boston, where, on Saturday morning, funeral services will be held at Trinity church, the Rev. Dr. Phillips Brooks officiating. The interment will then be made at Mt. Auburn.

GENERAL JOHNSON'S DEATH. General Joseph E. Johnston's death was undoubtedly due to the fact that he had attended General Sherman's funeral. "The time is coming," said an undertaker of this city the other day, "when people will cease to go to funerals in troops, and when the friends of the deceased will make farewell calls to his remains at his house instead of following him to the grave as they do now. This will be a decided change for the better. Funerals as now conducted are foolish and meaningless performances. They bring discomfort to all who attend them, and in many cases they do positive injury. Think of the thousands of people who contract their death of cold from standing shivering around an open grave, and from sitting for hours in carriages traveling at a snail's pace for miles into the country."

THE DUCHESS D'ANRY, nee Lassar, who is now living quietly with her husband at the New York Hotel, is one of the few American women whose marriage with titled foreigners has been productive of happiness and satisfaction on both sides of the Atlantic. She is one of the few intimate friends of Mrs. Jewett Davis and her daughter Winnie. The Duke d'Anry is a quiet, unostentatious gentleman. His family is one of the oldest in Belgium, and is credited with long and honorable public services. The Duke does not speak English, but he takes a deep interest in American affairs.

WALL STREET BEHINDS. Compons maturing April 1, 1891, on the Richmond and Danville Railroad debentures, Richmond and Danville consolidated mortgage 5 per cent. bonds, Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta second mortgage bonds, Columbia and Greenville second mortgage bonds, Georgia Pacific consolidated mortgage 5 per cent. bonds and Northwestern North Carolina railroad first mortgage 6 per cent. bonds will be paid at the office of the Richmond and Danville Company, 80 Broadway.

THE NORFOLK AND WESTERN RAILROAD DIRECTORS have declared a semi-annual dividend of 1 1/2 per cent., payable April 25.

THE LOUISVILLE, MADISON AND CINCINNATI RAILROAD will be built this year. The road will in all probability use the new Louisville and Jeffersonville bridge, which will be completed this summer. Colonel J. C. Fawcett, who has been here in New York for some time in the interest of the road, says that if the townships touched by the road will furnish the 2 per cent. tax and the right of way and depot grounds, the road will be built. Nearly all the people along the river are in favor of the road and it is highly probable that there will be any difficulty in securing the tax.

CREDITORS OF THE DECATUR, CHESAPEAKE AND NEW ORLEANS RAILROAD in Athens and Madison counties, Ala., will send a representative to be present at the sale of the road on April 7th, in Athens, Tenn., and resist any effort to complete the road until they are paid.

General passenger agents of the Newport, News and Mississippi Valley, Kansas City, Memphis and Burlington, Ill. N. Central, St. Louis, East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia, Richmond and Danville, Central of Georgia, Savannah, Florida and Western, Norfolk and Western, Chesapeake and Ohio, Missouri Pacific, and Western Atlantic will hold a meeting in Birmingham, Ala., at the Caldwell Hotel, on April 1st. The adjustment of summer excursion rates will be the principal topic of consideration.

Colonel A. Parish, president of the Sheffield & Birmingham railroad, Alexander A. Arthur, of Middleborough, and a party of English capitalists, are en route for Atlanta, over the Knoxville Southern, inspecting that line. Some of the gentlemen are stockholders in the Knoxville, Cumberland Gap and Louisville railroad. While no positive statement is made public, it is believed that they may resolve the Knoxville Southern of its embarrassments.

The Governors of the Stock Exchange have voted to close the Exchange on Good Friday, March 27.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL. One share in the Chemical National Bank, of this city, bought the sum of \$4,750 at a recent auction sale of stocks and bonds at the Real Estate Exchange in Liberty street.

One of the most comfortable apartments on the Alva, Mr. W. K. Vanderbilt's yacht, is the children's playroom and nursery, just in front of the bedrooms on the first lower deck. It is padded with plush to prevent the children from receiving injuries by being thrown about when the vessel rolls.

Senator John W. Daniel, of Virginia, is in the city, stopping the while at the Hoffman House.

Mrs. Grant's correspondence is so large that she finds it impossible to attend to it all. She gives preference to letters from old soldiers and endeavors to answer them with her own pen.

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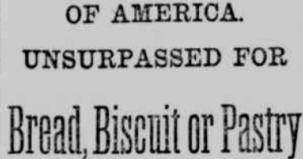
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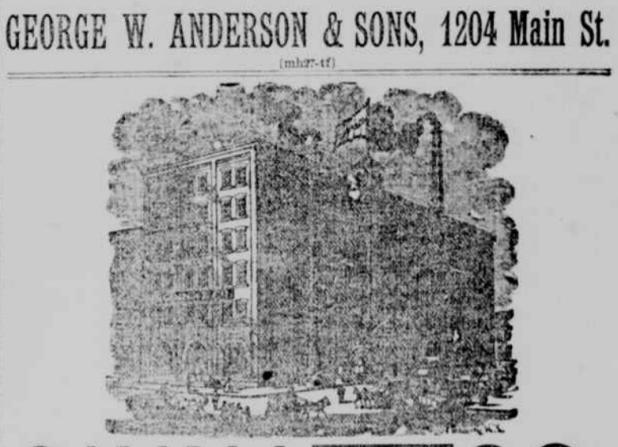
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